The cut motion was by leave withdrawn.

The demand was put and carried and the grant made.

GRANT XIX—MEDICAL.

* The hon. Sir MAHOMED USMAN:—" Mr. President, on the recommendation of His Excellency the Governor, I beg to move—

> '*that the Government be granted a further sum not exceeding Rs. 100 under Grant XIX—Medical.*'

" Sir, this is a token demand for meeting the expenditure on travelling and other allowances to the members nominated and elected to the All-India Medical Council and contingencies (conduct of elections). We have to spend about Rs. 400 in connexion with the election as non-recurring expenditure and about Rs. 1,800 on travelling allowances as recurring expenditure. The full particulars are given in the note. The Accountant-General who was consulted wants a vote of this House for this expenditure. Therefore I have come here with this token demand."

The demand was put and carried and the grant made.

GRANT XXVII—MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS—RESERVED.

* The hon. Sir MAHOMED USMAN:—" Sir, on the recommendation of His Excellency the Governor, I beg to move—

> '*that the Government be granted a further sum not exceeding Rs. 31,000 under Grant XXVII—Miscellaneous Departments—Reserved.*'

" Sir, as stated in the explanatory notes, the Labour Commissioner has reported that he requires Rs. 29,400 for the purpose of employing an assistant manager on Rs. 2,065, lighting charges Rs. 1,300, maintenance of incapables Rs. 2,000, sick charges Rs. 350, travelling allowance Rs. 900, maintenance of settlers Rs. 17,000, office building Rs. 3,000 and laying down of new pipe lines in place of old at Bitragunta and their maintenance Rs. 1,925. We also require Rs. 1,600 for payment of compensation to the Salvation Army for the meeting hall in the Sitanagaram Settlement, the management of which has been taken over by the Government. The reason why we want these amounts is clearly stated in the explanatory notes and I have nothing more to add. I request the House to pass this demand."

The demand was put and carried and the grant made.

IX.—EXCESS DEMANDS FOR GRANTS FOR 1931–32.

* The hon. Sir HOPETOUN STOKES:—" I beg to move—

> '(a) *that an additional sum not exceeding Rs. 45,497 be granted under " Grant XXX—Civil Works—Establishment and Tools and Plant " to make good the excess expenditure incurred in the year 1931–32;*
>
> '(b) *that an additional sum not exceeding Rs. 1,786 be granted under " Grant XXXVIII—Refunds of Revenue—Reserved and Transferred " to make good the excess expenditure incurred in the year 1931–32.*'